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SUBJECT: YAR TELECOMMUNICATIONS PROJECT

1. VAN SAVAGE OF WESTERN ELECTRIC CALLED THIS AFTERNOON TO SAY THAT HIS FIRM IS QUOTE VITALLY INTERESTED UNQUOTE IN THE YEMEN TELECOMMUNICATIONS PROJECT BUT THEY HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO ARRANGE FINANCING. HE IS WILLING TO SEND A CORPORATE DELEGATION TO TALK WITH THE YEMENIS AT ANY TIME, BUT BEFORE DOING SO NEEDS TO KNOW IF YEMENIS COULD POSSIBLY FINANCE PROJECT THEMSELVES OR COULD GET THE SAUDIS OR OTHER ARABS TO ACT AS GUARANTORS. GTE HAS ALSO RUN INTO FINANCING DIFFICULTIES BUT ARE STILL TRYING TO WORK OUT SOME SORT OF ARRANGEMENT, POSSIBLY WITH CITIBANK.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR VIEWS ON YAR FINANCING IF NEITHER US FIRM CAN ARRANGE FINANCING HERE. CHRISTOPHER
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